**Vocabulary Practice Ch. 3-4**

Define the word and write a sentence that shows you understand the meaning **using rhyme**. For the first few chapters, you only have to fill in the blanks. After that, you are on your own.

1. contempt – to despise something or someone; show hatred or lack of respect

Sentence: I made an attempt to control my contempt for my English class.

1. rave - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. premonition – a feeling about something that is going to happen

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. quaver / quiver - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: He began to quaver when he saw the electric shaver.

1. ornery - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: He wouldn’t have kicked you in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if you hadn’t been so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. bewildered - to puzzle or confuse someone; confused, unsure what to think

Sentence: He was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when Mildred asked him out on a date.

1. elite – better than or above others; from a small, select group of people

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. gingerly - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: He walked very gingerly because the floor was so slippery.

1. haze – confusion because of a lack of clarity, cloudiness

Sentence: I`ve been living in a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for almost three \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. reformatory – special school / prison for minors who are convicted of crimes.

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_